

PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT SUBMISSION

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<p>1. Agency/Subagency originating request</p> <p>EPA/OAQPS</p>	<p>2. OMB control number</p> <p style="text-align: right;">b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None</p> <p>a. - 2 0 6 0</p>																																		
<p>3. Type of information collection (<i>check one</i>)</p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New collection</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Revision of a currently approved collection</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of a currently approved collection</p> <p>d. <input type="checkbox"/> Reinstatement, without change, of a previously approved collection for which approval has expired</p> <p>e. <input type="checkbox"/> Reinstatement, with change, of a previously approved collection for which approval has expired</p> <p>f. <input type="checkbox"/> Existing collection in use without OMB control number</p> <p><i>For b-f, note Item A2 of Supporting Statement Instructions</i></p>	<p>4. Type of review requested (<i>check one</i>)</p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regular</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency - Approval requested by: / / </p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> Delegated</p> <p>5. Small entities</p> <p>Will this information collection have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>6. Requested expiration date</p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three years from approval date</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Other Specify: / </p>																																		
<p>7. Title</p> <p>Implementation of Pollution Prevention Alternatives in the 40 CFR 63 General Provisions (Proposed Rule)</p>																																			
<p>8. Agency form number(s) (<i>if applicable</i>)</p> <p>EPA ICR #2099.01</p>																																			
<p>9. Keywords</p> <p>Environmental protection, Air pollution control, General provisions, Recordkeeping and reporting requirements, Compliance alternatives</p>																																			
<p>10. Abstract</p> <p>Owners or operators of facilities subject to NESHAP can participate in a voluntary program to reduce the burden of compliance by implementing pollution prevention measures. Only facilities that can reduce the burden of monitoring, reporting, or recordkeeping are expected to participate; consequently, the General Provision amendments will reduce the burden associated with NESHAP.</p>																																			
<p>11. Affected public</p> <p>(<i>Mark primary with "P" and all others that apply with "X"</i>)</p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Individuals or households d. <input type="checkbox"/> Farms</p> <p>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Business or other for-profit e. <input type="checkbox"/> Federal Government</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> Not-for-profit institutions f. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State, Local or Tribal Government</p>	<p>12. Obligation to respond</p> <p>(<i>Mark primary with "P" and all others that apply with "X"</i>)</p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Voluntary</p> <p>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Required to obtain or retain benefits</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory</p>																																		
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<p>15. Purpose of information collection</p> <p>(<i>Mark primary with "P" and all others that apply with "X"</i>)</p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application for benefits e. <input type="checkbox"/> Program planning or management</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Program evaluation</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> General purpose statistics f. <input type="checkbox"/> Research</p> <p>d. <input type="checkbox"/> Audit g. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regulatory or compliance compliance</p>	<p>16. Frequency of recordkeeping or reporting (<i>check all that apply</i>)</p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Recordkeeping b. <input type="checkbox"/> Third party disclosure</p> <p>c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reporting</p> <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On occasion</td> <td>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3. <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly</td> <td>4. <input type="checkbox"/> Quarterly</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5. <input type="checkbox"/> Semi-annually</td> <td>6. <input type="checkbox"/> Annually</td> </tr> <tr> <td>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Biennially</td> <td>8. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe) </td> </tr> </table>	1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On occasion	2. <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly	3. <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly	4. <input type="checkbox"/> Quarterly	5. <input type="checkbox"/> Semi-annually	6. <input type="checkbox"/> Annually	7. <input type="checkbox"/> Biennially	8. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe)																										
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<p>17. Statistical methods</p> <p>Does this information collection employ statistical methods?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>18. Agency contact (<i>person who can best answer questions regarding the content of this submission</i>)</p> <p>Name: Steve Fruh, EPA/OAQPS/PPSG</p> <p>Phone: (919) 541-2837</p>																																		

19. Certification for Paperwork Reduction Act Submissions

On behalf of this Federal agency, I certify that the collection of information encompassed by this request complies with 5 CFR 1320.9.

NOTE: The text of 5 CFR 1320.9, and the related provisions of 5 CFR 1320.8(b)(3), appear at the end of the instructions. *The certification is to be made with reference to those regulatory provisions as set forth in the instructions.*

The following is a summary of the topics, regarding the proposed collection of information, that the certification covers:

- (a) It is necessary for the proper performance of agency functions;
- (b) It avoids unnecessary duplication;
- (c) It reduces burden on small entities;
- (d) It uses plain, coherent, and unambiguous terminology that is understandable to respondents;
- (e) Its implementation will be consistent and compatible with current reporting and recordkeeping practices;
- (f) It indicates the retention periods for recordkeeping requirements;
- (g) It informs respondents of the information called for under 5 CFR 1320.8(b)(3):
 - (i) Why the information is being collected;
 - (ii) Use of information;
 - (iii) Burden estimate;
 - (iv) Nature of response (voluntary, required for a benefit, or mandatory);
 - (v) Nature and extent of confidentiality; and
 - (vi) Need to display currently valid OMB control number;
- (h) It was developed by an office that has planned and allocated resources for the efficient and effective management and use of the information to be collected (see note in Item 19 of the instructions);
- (i) It uses effective and efficient statistical survey methodology; and
- (j) It makes appropriate use of information technology.

If you are unable to certify compliance with any of these provisions, identify the item below and explain the reason in Item 18 of the Supporting Statement.

Signature of Program Office Official	Date
Signature of Senior Official or designee	Date
Oscar Morales, Director, Collection Strategies Division, Office of Environmental	